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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Serial Nos. 102

Part B for June 1916.

SUBJECT.

Transfer of Gold mining accounts from
the Comptroller's office to the Geological
office—

Cl. 1. Proposal—

Submits for information a brief abstract
of the correspondence in the matter of transferring
the accounts relating to mining Revenue, and
requests that the question may be reconsidered &
the accounts transferred to the Geological Dept.
with effect from the next official year—

Cl. 2. The order!—

State that Govt agree with the
suggestion of the Director of Mines and Geology for being
present practice being continued till his office help
Keep similar accounts & scrutiny of returns & accounts to
be sent to the Geological Dept.

4-7-1916

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

(G.F.)

NOTES.

File No. 115-9/15

FILE HEADING.

Transfer of ~~the~~ gold mining accounts
from the Comptroller's office to the
geological office.

From

The Comptroller to Govt.

No. 4317

Dated 11-12-15

Received

13-12-15

Diary No.

15-47

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BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

Submitting for information, a brief abstract
of the correspondence in the matter of transferring
the accounts relating to Mining Revenue and
requesting that the question may be reconsidered
and the accounts transferred to the Geological
office with effect from the next financial year.

NOTES AND ORDERS.

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The brief abstract of the previous
history of the case put up by the Comptroller
office speaks for itself. &c.

2) It is seen therefrom that the
transfer of the accounts of Mining Rev.

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from the Comptroller's office
the geological office was opened
to the then Comptroller, Mr. Basu
(Vide his note of 29.6.05) and that
the then Dewan agreed to
the with the Comptroller and the
matter was dropped thereafter.

3) The Comptroller now requests
that the question may be re-
-considered for reasons stated
by him, and to the transferring
accounts ordered to the effect
from the next official year.

4. Sailed for orders

5. The opinion of the
Director of Mines and
Geology on the point may
be obtained.
(H: Secy)

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6. Yr. m.

7. Forwarded No. to the Director of Mines
and Geology for favour of opinion.

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S. Shanmugam

8.4.16.

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Please bring up

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Fl. W.O. no. 207

W.O. no. 4
14-4-16.

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& return with
connecting papers.

NOTE-Conn. sheet.

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Subd. m. 14-4-16.

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I think it would be desirable for the complete gold sale accounts, royalties as to be kept in this Office. It will however take some little time to prepare for this and I do not know if I have sufficient clerical staff to deal with the matter properly.

Also I have recently proposed some modifications in the methods of paying royalties and allowing rebates which are at present under discussion with the mining companies.

For these reasons I would suggest that the Comptroller should continue to keep the accounts as heretofore for the present and that my Office should now begin to keep similar accounts for practice and at the same time scrutinize the various returns & registers in order to ascertain if any changes are desirable. As soon as this has been done we shall be prepared to take over the keeping of these accounts.

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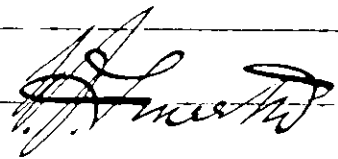
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from the Comptroller's Office but I
do not think that we shall be in
a position to do so from the start
of the next financial year.

Bangalore,

10th May 1916.


Director,

Dept. of Mines & Geology.

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The Financial Secretary to the Govt.

of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

"The Comptroller may perhaps be
F(Secty) informed of the substance of the Director's note -

he.

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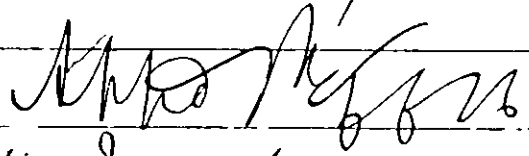
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Director

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25.5.16.

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Secretariat.

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To

The Comptroller

M 6296 & 9.6.16

With reference to M, states that Govt agree with the suggestions of the Director, Bellin and Geology for the present practice being continued till his office begins to keep similar accounts and scrutiny of returns & registers to ascertain if any changes are called for

It is requested that in future communications on the subject, the No. and date of this letter, and the distinguishing letters below the number as given opposite, may be quoted and addressed to the Comptroller, Mysore Government window delivery No. 6, Bangalore.

the communications

No. *4317/B. & R. 1460* OFFICE OF THE COMPTROLLER, MYSORE GOVERNMENT,

Enc. one file of papers Dated Bangalore, the 8th December 1915.

FROM
Rajamantrapravina Diwan Bahadur
J. S. CHAKRAVARTI, ESQ., M. A.,
F. R. A. S., ETC.,
Comptroller to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

To

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The Secretary to the Government of Mysore,
.....Financial.....Department.

SIR,

In returning, herewith the original file of papers sent to this office with your letter No. Fl. 7671 dated 25th June 1915, I have the honor to submit for the information of Government a brief abstract of the correspondence in the matter of transferring the accounts relating to the Mining Revenue.

2. From this it will be seen that the question of transferring the mining revenue accounts to the office of the Chief Inspector of Mines raised by this office ⁱⁿ 1902 in accordance with the general principles enunciated in the Civil Account Code was dropped on the ground that the Geological Department could exercise no really independent check on the production of gold, that the work done in that office would be the same as in my office and that the work was better done in this office than elsewhere.

3. Though there is no difference in the accounts kept in this office and those to be hereafter kept in the Geological Department, I am of opinion that the accounts relating to Revenue items should, under the prevailing system, be maintained in the departments concerned and the Geological Department is responsible for the Mining

Revenue

Rec.—Gl. 17]

Department.

FROM

J. S. CHAKRAVARTI, ESQ., M. A.,

F. R. A. S., ETC.,

Comptroller to the Govt. of
H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore.

To

The Secretary to the Govt. of Mysore.
Financial Dept.

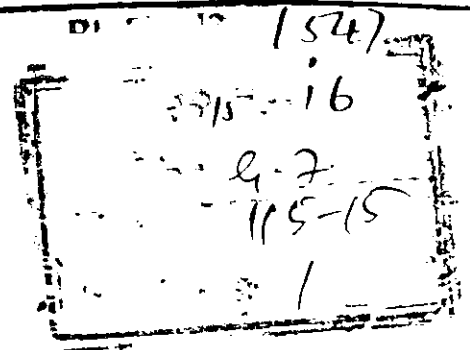
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Despatched 11 December 15.

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No. 4317 *Explain*
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Subject matter.

*Submits for the
information of Government
a brief abstract of
the correspondence in
the matter of transferring
the accounts relating
to Mining Revenue.*



Revenue. The then Secretary, Geological Department, the present Director of Mines and Geology was of the same opinion. I therefore pray that the question may be reconsidered and the accounts relating to Mining Revenue transferred to the Geological Department from this office with effect from the next official year.

I have the honor to be,

S i r,

Your most obedient servant,

J. Chakravarti
Comptroller.

10/12/15

L.M. 4.

SUBJECT. Accounts relating to Mining Revenue being
transferred to the Geological Deptt. from the Comptroller's
office

Diary No. of letter replied to 1547

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General and Revenue Secretariat

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No. JK 6296

8th June/16

Date of issue 9-6-16

To

The Comptroller

Signed by W. Subbarao

Sir,

With reference to

Your letter n^o 4317/Boa. 1460

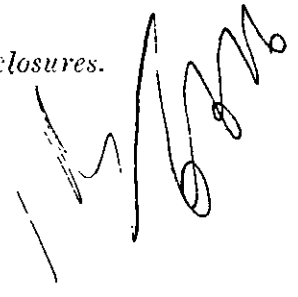
of 8. Dec. 1915. requesting that the
accounts relating to Mining Revenue
be transferred to the Geological
Department from your office with
effect from the next financial year,
I am directed to state that
the Director of Mines & Geology

over.

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after that it is desired for his Office
admits ~~necessity~~ to maintain
complete gold sale accounts,
and royalties etc. but suggests
that having regard to the inadequacy
of his clerical staff and to the
modifications in the methods of
paying ^{royalties} royalties and allowing
rebates under discussion with
the Mining Companies, your
office may continue to keep
the accounts as heretofore for
the present and that his office
~~would~~ ^{will} begin to keep similar
accounts by way of practice
and scrutiny of the various
returns and registers in order to
ascertain if any changes are called for
and that as soon as this has been
is done the geological Dept. ~~will~~ will
take over the keeping of these accounts
from you though not from the beginning
of the next official year:--
Govt agree with the Director and
consider that his
suggestions may be
adopted. P.Y.C.

List of enclosures.


Copied by
Examined by

G. R. S. 27]

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SECRETARIAT.

(Continuation sheet draft form.)

The enclosures received with
your letter are returned herewith.

I have etc.

No 766297 of 9 June 16
H. 25.5.16
P. H. Secretary.

Copy to the Director of Mines
returning the file of papers
received with his no. 2870 of
9.6.1915.

By order.

U. 24/5/16

H. 25.5.16.
P. H. Secretary.